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In re Application of: Toshio TAKABAYASHI et al.)
U.S. Application No.: 09/737,819) Group Art Unit: 2878
Filed: December 18, 2000) Examiner: A. Israel
For: SCINTILLATOR PANEL, RADIATION)
IMAGE SENSOR, AND METHODS OF)
MAKING THE SAME)

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c)(2)

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97(c), Applicants bring to the attention of the Examiner the documents listed on the attached form PTO 1449.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed after the events recited in § 1.97(b) but, to the undersigned's knowledge, before the mailing date of either a Final Office Action or a Notice of Allowance. Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c)(2), this Information Disclosure Statement is accompanied by the fee set forth in § 1.17(p). The Commissioner is hereby requested to charge the fee of \$180.00 required under § 1.17(p) to Deposit Account No. 50-0310.

The documents listed on the form PTO 1449 are submitted herewith. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the listed documents and evidence that consideration by making the appropriate notations on the PTO 1449.

The PTO 1449 contains a document that is in a language other than English. As for relevance, an English language translation is provided.

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Applicants further reserve the right to take appropriate action to establish the patentability of the disclosed invention over the listed documents, should the documents be applied against the claims of the present application.


Except for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. § 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0310. This paragraph is intended to be a **CONSTRUCTIVE PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME** in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3).

Respectfully submitted,

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